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In re U.S. Patent Application of

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

This is in response to the office action dated December 22, 2004, in the above identified application, the period for response is set to expire on June 22, 2005, with a three-month extension fee. Please review the remark as follows:

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